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CARY C. HINES' CANDIDACY.

The following comment on the candidacy of our fellow townsman, Cary C. Hines, for member of the state senate, is clipped from Democratic newspapers in this senatorial district.

Webster Echo: Mr. Hines is a lawyer by profession, and is well and favorably known to a good many people in this county. He is honest, conscientious and fair in all his dealing, and by experience, education and environment is fully qualified to fill this important office to which he aspires with dignity and honor and to the satisfaction of the people of Webster county as well as the district as a whole.

Calhoun Chronicle: Cary C. Hines, prominent attorney and business man, is the first to get his hat in the ring for the long term senatorial seat for the elongated Tenth district. Mr. Hines is not extra well known in this county but his ability is recognized in his home county. He enters the contest for the senate highly recommended and we have no doubt will prove a strong contender for the nomination. He is interested in lumber operations, coal mining and farming and his practical knowledge of conditions in this district will serve him in good stead if elected to the senate.

Pocahontas Times: This week this paper publishes the announcements of two seekers for the Democratic nomination for the long term in the state senate from the 10th district—Hon. Cary Hines, of Braxton, and Hon. A. D. Shock, of Webster. We have nothing against either one of them, except that they are out for the nomination that we are claiming for Pocahontas county this time. Mr. Hines is a successful lawyer of Sutton. He is a native of Greenbrier valley, and a very pleasant gentleman. Mr. Shock is originally from Gilmer county, but is now a resident of Webster county. He is a farmer and his postoffice is Replete.

The Democrat endorses fully all the complimentary things that have been said about Mr. Hines and his candidacy. He is a leading citizen of Sutton and Braxton county. He is a lawyer whose ability is recognized. He is a successful business man of varied experience. He is energetic and progressive. He is big-hearted, good natured and always courteous and genial. He is thoroughly democratic in his manner and politics. He is broad-minded and as free from selfishness as any mortal you'll meet. The people of Braxton respect and like him, as do those of other counties who know him. He has every qualification to represent the people of this senatorial district wisely and beneficially. If there is anything in the way of legislation that the people of this district want, Mr. Hines would get it if it were humanly possible to do so. He's a worker—never a quitter. We know of no one who would make a better representative of the people of this district as a whole. They can absolutely trust him to do the thing which is best for his constituency. No man could do more; no true representative would do less.—Braxton Democrat.

GREENBANK S. S. CONVENTION

Greenbank District Sunday School Convention will be held at Durbin in M. E. Church South on July 14th, three sessions, morning, afternoon and evening, the evening session being an inspirational meeting, with an address by an out of town Sunday School worker. Special music will be rendered by local people and the program will be made up of district and county workers. Each Sunday School in Greenbank District is requested to send delegates to this convention and all Superintendents and pastors, Teachers and officers are expected to be present. The program will be published in next week's edition of the Times.

G. C. Hamilton,
Vice Pres. Greenbank Dist. S. S. Association.

The Marlinton Sunday schools are feeling the vacation slump. At the Methodist Sunday school there were present on Sunday morning 160, and at the Presbyterian 156. The latter has set as a goal an attendance of 200, and has been able to approximate this number for a good many months. Now is the time for every good man and woman to rally to the Sunday School and fill the vacancies caused by the summer absence of the regulars.

County court was in session Tuesday with all the members present. The time of the Court was taken up in matters of routine. As the fiscal year is nearing the end, few or no orders were issued. This was license term of court. The court will be in session next Monday July 3rd.

The Board of Equalization is still sitting and hearing from the land owners whose assessments were raised. It is expected that the board will keep its docket open for several weeks yet.

Hillsboro, W. Va.—The Sunday School attendance at the two churches of this town on Sunday June 25 was 252, Oak Grove Presbyterian had 106 and Wesley Chapel Methodist 146.

Married, at Methodist parsonage, June 14, 1922, Charles L. Swink and Miss Ruth Eva Tallman, both of this county. Rev. Fred B. Wyand, officiating minister.

Rev. H. H. Orr has received word that his brother, James G. Orr, of Denver, Colorado, has been elected president of the Christian Endeavor Association of the state of Colorado.

DISTRICT CONVENTION

The annual Sunday School convention of Huntersville district was held at Huntersville on June 22, 1922, with J. C. Harper, the district president in the chair.

The address of welcome was given by J. H. Buzzard, who spoke of the old historic town of Huntersville and emphasized the fact that all denominations were represented here, united in a common cause and success would follow.

The convention was opened by Scripture reading and prayer by Rev. W. C. Neel. Response to the welcome address was made by Mitchell Sharp.

The address by Rev. O. P. McNeil will be carried home by many. Sunday schools are to spread knowledge of God's word which is helpful unto salvation.

Address by Rev. F. B. Wyand was an able and forceful one. He stated that teachers should be good, and a desire to help others to do their best in the Sunday school work. The convention was thoroughly convinced that Mr. Wyand had the Sunday schools and their work at heart, but he said he felt like the old darkey "Rastus,"—would like to baptize some of them "pocket book and all."

Rev. Palmer Eubank conducted devotional exercises at the afternoon session.

J. A. Sydenstricker's address on "Young Peoples' Work" was good. We wish the young to remember the words that he outlined for them.

The following resolutions were submitted.

First, That we as a convention pledge ourselves for higher endeavors and greater work in our Sunday schools.

That we should carry back to our schools as much information and inspiration as possible and thereby show an effort to keep our district association one of the best.

That we express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the speakers of this convention for advice and encouragement.

That we give a rising vote of thanks to the good people of Huntersville in the interest manifested in making this convention a success.

And we extend thanks to the good ladies of the town and community for a bounteous dinner spread on tables in church lot which was enjoyed by all.

Rev. C. W. Peyton, of Temple, Texas, is spending a few days at Marlinton. He was here fourteen years ago when he served the Marlinton and Huntersville Presbyterian churches one summer. He is a native of Greenbrier county, went to college in Kansas, and took his theological course at Princeton. Forty-five years ago he went to Bell county, Texas, and has seen the county develop from a cattle range to a thickly settled agricultural section. Cotton is the big crop. Churches, schools and roads are the civilizing influences there as elsewhere. On account of asthma, Mr. Peyton had to give up his pastorate three years ago, but he still preaches when his voice allows him to do so. He represented his Presbytery at the recent meeting of the General Assembly at Charleston as a delegate.

A letter from Mrs. Will A. Young, of Davenport, Iowa, brings the news of the death of Charles F. Young, which occurred June 1st, after a long illness. The deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Will A. Young. He was 45 years old and was assistant postmaster of the city of Davenport. Mrs. Young also states that her husband, Will A. Young, suffered a stroke of paralysis in the month of April. He is now able to walk some and talk a little. Mr. Young is a native of Pocahontas county, having been born on Stony Creek. He is remembered by the older citizens.

No bass fishing yet in Greenbrier river. The bass season opened June first, just in the middle of the spawning season, but the rains descended and the floods came, and kept the river too high. With ordinary good fishing water, the breeding stock of bass in this part of the Greenbrier would have gone to pan this year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Donnally drove to Charlottesville, Va., last Thursday to see Mr. Donnally's nephew who was run over by a truck loaded with coal, and dragged 72 yards before the truck could be stopped. The lad was picked up by friends and rushed to the University Hospital. The accident occurred about eight o'clock a. m. as the boy was on his way to school.

A number of citizens from Durbin and Nottingham were before the court Tuesday in the interest of a road from Durbin to Boyer Siding, a distance of nearly three miles. The court has the matter under advisement. The road would give a prosperous farming community and a large mill village a way to get to the town of Durbin.

Next Sunday morning there will be a patriotic service at Wesley Chapel, Hillsboro. At eleven o'clock the sermon subject will be "A Study in Patriotism." Seeking certain fundamental principles of patriotism in the life of Jesus, there will be special reference to our own obligation to native land. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

Married, Cecil William Green of Randolph county, and Miss Delphia Elizabeth Rhodes, of Edray, June 21, 1922, by Rev. Fred B. Wyand.

Married, at Edray by Rev. C. A. Powers, on June 21, 1922, Marvin L. English and Miss Mary Eva McCloud.

AMERICA FIRST DAY

Next Sunday, July 2nd, has been proclaimed as America First Day and every Sunday School in Pocahontas County has been requested to sound the note of patriotism in their service that day. Suggestions have been made through a program sent out by Mr. Andrew Peice, Chairman, and we urge all Sunday Schools to make the service a memorable one.

The County Chairman had already been advised of the action of some schools having rehearsals during this week in preparation for the program and we desire a report of these meetings sent to the County Paper for publication.

We reproduce the suggestions of the County Chairman, Mr. Peice and urge all Sunday Schools to make their service ring with patriotism.

We also urge you to have the oration prepared and given at the service.

S. N. Hench,
Pres. County S. S. Association.

THE PLAY GROUND

The playground opened Saturday, June 24. Much interest and enthusiasm was manifested; the attendance was good and is increasing. The entertainment consists of stories, swings, slides, sand-piles, see-saws, teeter ladders and games. For the latter a volley ball (which may be procured for \$2.50) is much needed. Should any public spirited citizen desire to contribute so much to the welfare of the children of the town his gift would be greatly appreciated.

The children will please note the following changes in the schedule:

8:30 to 11:30 a. m.—ages 6 to 10 yrs
Story hour from 10:30 to 11:30
3:00 to 6:00 p. m. 10 to 15
Story hour from 3:00 to 4:00

Children under six are welcome at any time if they are accompanied by an older child.

Editor Times: There seems to be very properly a great interest in Sunday Schools at this time, and a bare possibility that men may adopt the Sunday school work instead of real heart religion. Our commentators on the lessons shows us about the preaching of Jeremiah and its effects, but fail to apply the lesson to our own time. They do not seem to know that there is no difference in the effect of real God sent truth in the days of Jeremiah and all other days including the present. The present decay in spirituality and effective church work is due to preachers and people attempting what is humanly impossible. When God sends men to Marlinton to preach it is to preach to the people of Marlinton and not about the sins of Brazil. "How can they hear without a preacher, and how can they preach except they be sent?" A God sent minister is not afraid of the face of clay. His words are as burning coals on the hearts of the people.

Not only preachers but teachers of the Sunday Schools need to be filled with the Holy Ghost. How men and women can undertake such great responsibility without the needed preparation is an unthinkable mystery. Oh for a church of one accord, with one purpose, one spirit, standing before the world as a united and well disciplined army, instead of straggling disorganized recruits. With such a church in such an attitude nothing under heaven would be impossible, if preachers and laymen cry mightily to God for the needed baptism of the Holy Ghost and with fire.

Observer.
Renick, W. Va.

EDITOR POCAHONTAS TIMES:

I wish to express through the columns of your paper, in behalf of the Ladies of Beard, every body else at Beard, and also myself personally, our most sincere thanks to the Ladies of Hillsboro and vicinity for so willingly and generously contributing to the success of the dinner at the corner stone laying of our Church. You may be sure your kindness will not soon be forgotten and your words of cheer and encouragement will help us so much and the joy which their recollection will bring in days to come will brighten our pathway and cheer us in our labors. To every one who in any way contributed to the success of our undertaking we wish to express our deepest appreciation and most sincere thanks.

Most sincerely yours,
J. G. Hamrick.

ARBOVALE

We have had plenty of showers at d crops and meadows, are looking fine.

Rev. J. M. Sutton and two children of Germania, W. Va., are visiting relatives here.

A large crowd attended the flag show and report a first class show.

E. K. Crist and family who have spent two weeks visiting friends in Fayette county returned home last Tuesday.

Q. G. Arbogast has closed his singing school at Stony Bottom and is at home.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Arbovale church will serve ice cream, cake, sandwiches and other refreshments on the church lawn July 4th, beginning at 5 o'clock. Everybody come and have a good time. Proceeds for the benefit of the church.

The Childrens Day services last Sunday were well rendered. The children did their parts excellent.

ELECTION INFORMATION

Information Compiled by League of Women Voters for the Women of Sixth Congressional District.

The following information has been compiled by the league of Women voters of Parkersburg and Wood county:

1. What is the Direct Primary? The Direct Primary is a party election in which candidates for county, state and national offices are chosen directly by the voters instead of by a party convention or a body of delegates. At the primary on August 1st, you will choose the candidates that you want your party to put up at the polls at the regular election on November 7.

2. How do the ballots differ from those at a general election? Instead of having the tickets of all the parties printed on one sheet, there is a separate ballot for each party.

3. Can you vote for some of the Republican candidates and some of the Democratic candidates? No. You must state your politics and you will be given the ballot of that party.

4. If you have voted for Republican candidates at the Primary, do you have to vote only for Republican candidates at the regular election? No. You may vote an entire Democratic ticket, or a mixed ticket just as you please at the regular election. It is to be presumed, of course, that if your choice of candidates won in the primary, you will again vote for him in the November election. If he did not win you may make your choice from those who did win.

5. For what offices will you nominate candidates at the Primary on August 1st? One United States Senator: A Congressman Two State Senators from 10th Senatorial District.

6. How does a man or woman who wishes to run for office get his name on a ballot in the Primary? If he is running for a district or county office, he files his name with the circuit clerk. For higher offices he files his name with the Secretary of State.

7. On what date will you be registered for the primary? On June 5th, the registrars will go from house to house to list the voters. About July 3-5 registrars will sit in their respective precincts and registrar all those who were missed on the previous date.

8. Will the registrar have a legal right to ask you what political party you affiliate with? Yes. He now has that right. Everybody listen, as this is very important. The law as amended last year, states explicitly that no person shall be allowed to cast a ballot of any political party in a primary election unless the voter is registered as a member of the party whose ballot he wishes to cast. Therefore, if you wish to vote either the Democratic or Republican ballot in the primary, make up your mind before time to register.

9. If you have registered as an Independent or as a member of a minority party, or if you have refused to tell the registrar what your politics are can you vote at the primary? No. If your name does not appear on the polls you cannot vote the ballot of either party. There will be no ballots of any other party.

10. If you have not decided definitely what party you wish to affiliate with, but wish to register one thing or the other temporarily in order that you may vote, on what basis should you make your choice? Find out before June 5th who the candidates are to be on each ballot. Learn what sort of men they are and what they stand for. Choose the ballot which contains the most important candidate for whom you care to vote. These ballots will be printed in the paper in July, but NOT before the registrars visit your house in June.

11. Will the voting places in the precincts be situated the same as in 1920? There should be some changes on account of over-crowding.

12. If absent from the city can you send your vote by mail? Yes. If you have been registered, if your absence is unavoidable and if you send to the Circuit Clerk of the County Court at least ten days beforehand for an application blank.

13. Is it of great importance for you and me to vote in the primary? A primary is just of this importance. It determines the kind of a man your party is going to put up. If you do not care what sort of a man will represent you in office you will stay away from the primary. If you do care you will let nothing prevent you from registering and voting in the primary.

Now come more, if anyone tells you that the registrar has no right to ask your politics, tell them that the law has been changed, and that unless you do tell him your politics, you cannot vote in the primary. This law, however, does not affect your vote in the regular election in November. In that case you do not have to state your politics. (More over, if you voted as a Democrat or Republican in the Primary, you are not bound either legally or morally to vote a straight ticket in the regular election in November.)

GATEWOOD LEE KNAPP

Gatewood Lee Knapp was born in Roane county, near Spencer, January 15, 1871. He was the oldest son of T. F. Knapp and Matilda Hickman Knapp. He died at Parkersburg May 30, 1922, aged fifty one years, four months and twelve days.

Death was due to a septic infection caused by a broken pelvis, lacerated muscles and bladder, by reason of an accident while working on an oil drilling machine. This unhappy accident occurred on May 11, 1922, near Sandyville.

He was united in marriage to Emma Fisher, October 20, 1902. To this union were born five daughters. He is survived by his wife and four daughters (at home—Myrtle, Opal, Dayliss and Fae, Farrel having died in infancy; his father T. F. Knapp, who lives near Reedy, and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Cornelia Blosser and Mrs. Bestie Brown, near Reedy; Mrs. Auretta Bowles, near Rock Castle, Kenne, and Graham Knapp, of Sandyville, and Mrs. Mae Kelley, of Belpre, Ohio.

Brother Knapp was converted and baptized when seventeen years of age and joined the Gilboa Baptist church. He continued steadfast in the faith until the end and peacefully passed from this life with the blessed assurance of peace and contentment in the Great Beyond.

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ALDERMAN-MADISON
Samuel N. Alderman and Miss Leon Pearl Madison, were married at the home of Wm. Alderman on North Fork of Anthony's Creek, on Wednesday, June 14, 1922. Rev. O. P. McNeil, officiating minister.

The funeral service of the late George M. Sutton will be held at Greenbank, M. E. Church, South, on Sunday, July 2nd at 11 o'clock a. m.

MOORE GASOLINE

Means Less Gasoline

Filling station at The Peoples Store & Supply Co. at west end of county bridge is the only station in Marlinton selling The Moore Gasoline and Engine Oils. Try it and be convinced.

The Peoples Store & Supply Co.
MARLINTON, W. VA.

CORNER STONE LAYED

The corner stone of the Beard Chapel was laid with the Masonic ceremonies. The grand master was Hon. S. T. Shears, of Elkins. Among the speakers were Rev. W. H. Dabose, and Hon. J. W. Arbuckle, of Lewisburg. The day was pleasant and a good crowd attended. A big dinner was served by the ladies of the community, and \$150. was realized.

The Womens' Christian Temperance Union meets at the home of Mrs. G. W. Camper, Wednesday, July 5th, on Upper Camden Avenue.

To the Democratic Voters of the Tenth Senatorial District:

I announce myself a candidate for the nomination for the office of State Senator, Short Term, at the primary election to be held August 1, 1922.

N. R. PRICE,
Marlinton, Pocahontas County.

WEST UNION

Mrs. Clawson Beverage is spending a few days with Mrs. Arnot McNeill at Onoto.

Miss Alice Beverage has returned from Cloverlick, where she had been visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Sharp were visiting at Clawson Beverage's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Uriah Beverage were at Marlinton last week to see their daughter, Mrs. Beard, who has been very ill with typhoid fever.

Alex Hefner, of Buckeye, spent Sunday with his daughter Mrs. W. H. Gilmore.

Several of our people attended the big circus at Marlinton and reported a fine time.

The Galford brothers have started the big sawmill and are doing a flourishing business.

Miss Mary Hill is spending some time with her aunt, Mrs. Icy Miller. Rev. C. A. Powers was visiting in our community last week.

Shuchats Department Store

Marlinton, W. Va.

ALUMINUM WARE SALE

Saturday, July 1st.

"American Maid" heavy weight Pure Aluminum

\$1.00 each

- 5 qt. Tea Kettle
- 8 qt. Preserving Kettle
- 10 in. Round Roasters
- 2 qt. Coffee Percolator
- 4 qt. Cov. Kettle
- 4 qt. Sauce Pan
- 2 qt. Double Boiler
- 10 qt. Water Pails
- 12 qt. Dish Pans

--ALL--

\$1.00 each

Water Pails and Dish Pans not shown in cuts.

